

REMARKS

Entry of the foregoing amendments is respectfully requested. The specification has been amended in order to better conform the headings to U.S. practice. Claims 1-6 have been amended to delete multiple dependencies and the reference numerals, and to replace the words "characterized in that" with the word "wherein". New claims 7-10 have accordingly been added and correspond to the original claims.

Favorable consideration of the subject application is respectfully requested.

If there are any questions concerning this paper, or the application in general, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at his or her earliest convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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